

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please revise the paragraph beginning at Page 6, line 23 as follows:

-- Font data held by the printer 4 includes a glyph table which contains glyph data for expressing characters visually and internal code table which associates specific glyphs with character codes. During printing, an internal code is searched and retrieved from the internal code table using a given code, and glyph data corresponding to the internal code is acquired from the glyph table. Then, character image data is generated using the acquired glyph data and laid out in specified locations on output pages. The internal code registered in the internal code table is Unicode in the case of the printer according to this embodiment. Thus, the internal code table is required to convert the coding scheme of fonts ~~fronts~~ desired to be used on the printer into the internal coding scheme, i.e., Unicode. --